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Attached is a courtesy copy of applicants' Amendment and Response to the Office Action of November 4, 2003, as filed with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office via Express Mail on April 5, 2004. Also attached is a copy of the Express Mail delivery confirmation receipt evidencing acceptance by M. Boston of the U.S.P.T.O., along with a copy of the return postcard receipt acknowledging the U.S.P.T.O.'s receipt of the Amendment and Response on April 5, 2004.

Examiner Borissov informed me on Thursday, June 24, that this Response may not have been entered on the U.S.P.T.O.'s internal file database.

I have also faxed a courtesy copy of this Amendment and Response to Examiner Borissov.

Feel free to contact me if you have any questions.

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Dear Sir:

On February 26, 2004, attorney for the Applicants participated in a telephone interview with the Examiner. In light of that interview, and in response to the Office Action dated November 4, 2003, the Applicants have filed this Amendment and Response by Express Mail along with a petition for a two-month extension of time. The Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner withdraw the pending rejections and grant allowance of this Application in view of the following amendments and remarks.